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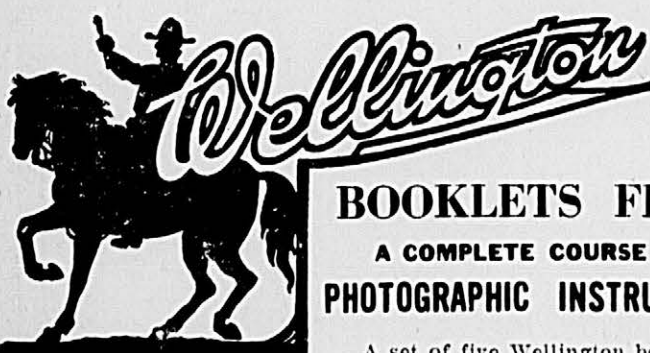
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NOMINATIONS WANTED FOR THE COUNCIL

Places Vacated by D. M. Sutherland and C. Kendall Must be Filled

RECEIVED AT THE UNION

Presidents Are Required for the
Track Club and the Hockey Club.

Nominations close to-day for representatives to the Students' Council from the track and hockey clubs. The situation is brought about by the absence from college of Messrs. D. M. Sutherland and C. Kendall.

All undergraduates who pay the universal fee are members of the above clubs, and this fact makes it at once apparent that the filling of these important offices is not a small party affair, but is a matter that should concern every undergraduate. There are certain individuals who will take absolutely no interest in the nominations or even the elections, but who, when the election is over, will freely criticize the choice that has been made. To those individuals it might be well to say that the time to think and act is now. Previous announcements have been made about these vacancies, and the date when nominations were to close has been frequently stated. This evening will show how many students have been thinking about the control of their own affairs, and how many have been merely floating along with the stream, trusting to luck and to the energies of others that everything will be all right.

The Council representatives are to be elected at the annual meeting of the Students' Society a week from to-day, when every undergraduate will have a voice as to who the men shall be. The time to think about the situation is to-day and not next Wednesday. Men should be nominated who have a good, clear, business sense—men who have the welfare of the students at heart, men who have the executive ability, men who are not afraid of good, hard work; men who will sacrifice time and will devote all the energies they possess to the problems with which they will have to deal if they are elected. It is no trivial matter, and no popular election, but a serious business in these serious times. Take a second thought; stop and consider before you nominate any one, but don't leave it to the other fellow to look after. Every student should interest himself to see that the right men are nominated. It is not necessary that the men nominated should be "stars" in the clubs which they are to represent. What the Council needs is brains, and not hockey sticks nor spiked shoes. It is important that the nominees should know something of and be interested in their representative clubs, but if it is a choice between brains and ability to perform on the ice or tracks, brains should be given the preference every time.

Nominations signed by any 25 students will be received any time to-day by the secretary of the Students' Council at the Union. The administration of your affairs for one whole year depends on what you say to-day. Get busy.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Owners Wanted for Communications
Lying at the Registrar's Office.

List of unclaimed letters in the Registrar's Office:

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The Registrar would be obliged if students or others, who know the present address of any of the above named would notify him of same.

SENIORS WILL MEET.

A meeting of Arts, '16, will be held in the Arts Building on Thursday at twelve o'clock, for the purpose of the election of officers.

FRESH - SOPH. SMOKER

Arrangements Now Being Completed
With Regard to Popular Event.

The Science Freshman Sophomore Smoker is being held earlier this year, than usual and it should be the best ever.

The committee in charge are arranging good talent and several excellent speakers are being obtained as well as a large amount of smokes going free.

The representatives from both Sophomore and Freshman years are working on this and it is urged that every one in either years who can do anything should hand in his name to his class president.

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY WILL RESUME WORK

First Meeting of the Session
Will be Held Next Monday Evening.

Phases of Labor Question

Students Desirous of Joining
Asked to Notify Members
of the Executive.

In anticipation of another successful year's work, the executive of the Philosophical Society has been getting down to work, drawing up a programme of the papers to be read during the coming session. A complete list of the society's programme will be announced shortly.

It is expected that meetings will, as far as possible, be held every alternate Monday evening. Papers will be contributed by various members of the society, and it is hoped that some members of the professoriate will also consent to contribute to the programme. Three or four open meetings will be held during the session.

The first meeting of the society has been arranged for next Monday evening, the 18th inst., in room B, Strathcona Hall, at which a paper on "Some Ethical Phases of the Labor Question" will be read by Mr. A. Gardener, the secretary of the society.

The executive of the society requests that the attention of the students be drawn to the fact that the membership in the Philosophical Society is open to all students of the University who profess an interest in any of the branches of philosophical study. The member need not necessarily be a student of philosophy himself. A large attendance is therefore hoped for on Monday night in order to make this inaugural meeting a success.

Students desirous of joining will please communicate with any of the officers, a list of which will be found in the handbook.

RAILWAY CLUB IS PROGRESSIVE BODY

Already Arranging for Extensive and Varied Programme
for the Winter.

The Railway Club is getting under way for another successful season. Announcement will shortly be made of the trips that will be undertaken. These will be varied and of interest, and already steps are under foot for visits to some of the largest manufacturing concerns in the city. In addition to these hikes, it is the intention of the club to hold meetings during the winter for the reception of papers from the students and discussion.

The membership fee for the session is only 50 cents, and tickets can now be obtained from any member of the executive or at the janitor's office. All old members are requested to get their membership tickets without delay. Those who have not been members are advised to follow suit, as they are guaranteed the best value for the small outlay entailed. A number of clubs are not alive this year, but the Railway Club is out for the most successful year since its organization.

C COMMITTEE FORMED

Officers' Wives Will Send Christmas Presents to McGill (No. 3) General Hospital.

A committee has been formed of the officers' wives of No. 3 Canadian General Hospital (McGill) to ship supplies for Christmas and presents for the patients and men of the hospital. Room No. 74, new Medical Building, has been placed at their disposal for this purpose, and there parcels and donations will be received from all who wish to contribute.

The ladies of the committee are: Mrs. H. S. Birkett, Mrs. H. B. Yates, Mrs. J. M. Elder, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. W. H. P. Hill, Mrs. John Meakins, Mrs. D. A. Hingston, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Louis Reford, Mrs. Wickham, Mrs. Colin R. Russell and Mrs. W. A. Wilkins.

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS WILL BE STARTED

Canvass Will be Carried On All
This Week Among
Freshmen.

LEADERS IN STUDENT LIFE

Supper Held in Strathcona Hall
Last Evening Inaugurates
Campaign.

At an enthusiastic and fairly well-attended supper last night, held in Strathcona Hall, the study canvass was begun with a vim and force which speaks well for the enthusiasm of the canvassers. After about thirty students, who represented all the different faculties, had partaken of an exceptionally fine supper, Prof. H. E. Reilly gave a very instructive and eloquent appeal. Among other things, he impressed his hearers with their responsibility and getting into touch with the freshman students, urging them to join some one of the Bible classes. These classes, he said, were very essential to the moral welfare of the students, and a person who had been brought under their influence went out of college a better man both mentally and physically.

Prof. Reilly also laid great importance on the canvassers being determined to get their men signed up.

Mr. E. A. Corbett then gave a few remarks, after which he distributed pamphlets and prospectus. Each canvasser was asked to personally see ten freshmen and get them if possible to sign up for a Bible class.

These classes are all under the leadership of prominent students and graduates, and a course of study is to be planned out which will appeal to all virile young men.

One of the most important classes is that in Canadian citizenship, which is being taken by Mr. J. S. Woodsworth, a social worker of continent-wide renown, who is the author of "My Neighbor" and "Strangers Within Our Gates."

The prospectus is as follows:

W. E. Reilly—Sunday, Oct. 17, 10.30 a.m., room A, Strathcona Hall.

W. Call—October 17.

F. B. Connors—Sunday, Oct. 17, 2.15 p.m., Strathcona Hall.

R. D. Scott—Sunday, Oct. 17, 2 p.m.

L. H. Nichols—Oct. 18, 7 p.m., room C, Strathcona Hall.

E. A. Corbett—Thursday, Oct. 14, 3 p.m., after physics lecture, Strathcona Hall.

Peter Clark.

K. Tsolomias—Sunday, Oct. 17, 10 a.m., Strathcona Hall.

G. H. Heslam—Friday, Oct. 15, room A, Strathcona Hall.

Alf Rosevear.

Peter Pollitt—Monday, Oct. 18, 7 p.m., room 216, Wesleyan College.

Harold Wilding—Monday, Oct. 18, 7 p.m., room 339 Wesleyan College.

R. M. Patterson—Monday, Oct. 18, 7 p.m., room 310 Wesleyan College.

W. J. Johnston—Monday, Oct. 18, 7 p.m., room 318 Wesleyan College.

In conjunction with the students' classes, church classes are being arranged at First Baptist, St. James Methodist, American Presbyterian, Erskine Church and Crescent Presbyterian Church.

LECTURES SUSPENDED

Notice Given by Registrar's Office of
University Holiday on October 22.

The following notices were issued by the registrar's office yesterday:

The annual University Sports will be held on Friday, Oct. 22. The holiday for this purpose will, therefore, be on the 22nd instead of on the 15th as per Calendar.

Lectures will be suspended from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in all faculties on Wednesday, Oct. 20, to allow for the holding of the annual meeting of the Students' Society.

DR. W. H. REILLY MARRIED.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Irene Douglass, daughter of the late Mr. John Douglass and of Mrs. Douglass, to Dr. W. Howard Reilly, M.D., '06, of Winnipeg, took place very quietly last evening at the home of the bride's mother, 29 Chomedy street. Rev. Dr. Hugh Pedley officiated.

METALLURGISTS WILL MEET.

The Montreal Metallurgical Association will meet this evening at 8.15 p.m., in the Chemistry Building. "Electric Furnace Steel in Canada" will be discussed.

SOLDIERS COAT STOLEN.

Charged with the theft of a camera and raincoat from Ptes. James Fuller and J. H. Erb, (two members of the Fourth University Company), William Reddy was found guilty by Judge Lanctot yesterday morning. He will be sentenced to-morrow. Reddy stole the goods from a pile of baggage at the Bonaventure Station.

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College Literary Work

Men who have played football or hockey while in college, and played it hard, when they graduate find generally no other course open to them but to throw away the experience which they have gained in those particular fields; they have had a great deal of pleasure out of it, they keep the valuable side-products of endurance, quickness and the like, but proficiency in the game itself is of little use to them in the outside world.

It is strange that often the same procedure is followed by the men who while in college were interested in writing as part of their curriculum or on college publications; they seem to forget when they graduate that what they have already learned could be made extremely valuable to them if they chose a literary career. There are, of course, bright shining exceptions, but it is safe to say that the experience and skill which a man gains writing special essays or while he is on the staff of a college paper or magazine usually is not put by him to the practical use which it might. It does not seem to be sufficiently well recognized that though comparatively few men, no matter how great their athletic prowess in college, can be looking forward to professional athletics as a career, the man who has had good experience in writing while an undergraduate can often in writing find a field for his life-work. Too many men win recognition by their pens before graduation, thereafter straightway to relapse into some humdrum occupation.

Editorial Notes

Only students who have paid the Universal fee are entitled to receive copies of the Daily regularly.

There is a humorous side to things, even in the trenches, and numerous stories of such a nature are contained in letters from the front. Amongst the recent books published on the same subject, is one entitled "Soliloquies of a Subaltern, Somewhere in France," in which, amongst a great deal which is particularly interesting, there occurs the following verse:—

"The A. S. C. have strawberry,
Or sometimes marmalade;
For us, it always seems to me,
No other jam is made—
But Plum and Apple, Plum and Apple,
Oh, the times I've had to grapple
With my tin of Plum and Apple."

The writer in his serious moments, however, makes it quite clear that there are more difficult things to grapple with, in the trenches, than jam tins—coal boxes for instance.

Day after day passes as the session goes on and still nothing is heard concerning the 1917 Annual, or whether, indeed, there is to be any Annual at all this year. All of which will probably prove a surprise to students who have been apt to regard the present junior year as the most progressive year in the University.

All-important as the Annual has been in previous years, the matter was not even broached at the meeting of the year '17 held a few days ago in Strathcona Hall, notwithstanding the fact that it is an open secret that probably half of the work in connection with the production of the Juniors' publication is usually accomplished by this time of the session. It is up to the Editorial and Business Boards to start business immediately and show signs of life.

Writing to the Glasgow Herald, the headmaster of the Hulme grammar school, Manchester, says that the age-long order of learning modern languages is first French, second German and in some schools, including his own, third Spanish. French, he continues, as the language of our allies France and Belgium, has become a national necessity. Commercially German is going to be at a discount, except for the Levant, as there will not be much trade with Germany for many years to come. All indications point to Spanish as the best second foreign language. Spanish includes Portuguese for practical purposes, and the two cover all Latin America and much western Mediterranean trade. There is also a strong opinion in favor of Russian as a second modern foreign language. Russia has a magnificent literature, but the language seems extremely difficult. Certain schools might well consider its claims, especially for older pupils, at all events as a third language.

This Week at the Play Houses

THE ARENA.

At the beginning of the performance at the Arena there is thrown on the screen a short statement bearing the title, "A Plea for the Art of the Motion Picture," but the best argument in favor of moving pictures, and perhaps the only one needed, is the play itself. A powerful story, well acted and beautifully staged, "The Birth of a Nation" is a fine example of this branch of dramatic art. The large cast play their part naturally and well, and, notwithstanding the name of it, the play, the producers have carefully refrained from introducing any of the flag-flapping pseudo-patriotism which so often finds a place in plays and moving pictures of an historical nature.

Great pains have been taken to ensure the accuracy and appropriateness of the scenery and the setting of historic incidents, and this has resulted in a production marred by no incongruities. The music is specially arranged for the occasion and blends well with the pictures. The whole performance is one that is well worth going to see.

THE ORPHEUM THEATRE.

The customary large and appreciative audience witnessed the vaudeville performance of this week's bill at the Orpheum Theatre last night.

The programme was unusually good. The divers numbers were very versatile in character, and were very well rendered, while the Orpheum orchestra, under Mr. Bray's direction, played decidedly pleasing selections.

The Brightons, consisting of Frank and Addie, appeared as artistic ragpickers. They presented their original novelty creation of farming tableaux from pieces of rags with admirable skill.

Anthony and Mack brought forth more than one laugh from the audience in their performance of "The Italian and the Boss," while Hermine Stone and company, in their act, "The Last of the Quakers," also struck the humorous side of the listeners. The climatic act of the evening, as far as comedy is concerned, was reached when Mary Melville appeared in "The Lonesome Comedienne." The applause she received fully indicated the successful way in which she played her part.

"The Fixers," presented by Tom E. Murphy and company, was a combination of fun and song, and was also well appreciated.

The Leo Zarrell Trio, in their new repertoire of acrobatic and tumbling feats, performed some very skilful and rather dangerous acts. Frank North and company in "Back to Wellington," together with Jack Wyatt and Scotch Lads and Lassies in "Fra the Land of the Heather and the Highlands of Scotland," completed a pleasing performance.

AT HIS MAJESTY'S.

The play at His Majesty's this week is a very strong drama taken from Kipling's novel, "The Light That Failed," and dramatized by Geo. Fleming. This version differs in several of its vital points from that of Miss Fletcher's, although the course of the story is closely followed. Its one weak point is that the dramatic focus is fixed almost entirely upon Dick Helder, and the characterization of some of the other chief players is eclipsed. However, this does not mean that the play is not worthy of patronage. Mr. Mack as Dick Helder is worth more than a passing commendation, for this characterization is the best achievement to his credit since he has appeared in Montreal. It shows his ability to build up a swift climax.

The creditable work of Miss Minnie Williams as Street Minx Ebbie is worthy of mention, as is also that of Miss Belle D'Arcy as the Red-Haired Girl. Torpendow, played by Mr. Webb, was a good impersonation, and his humor suited him well and served to come as a relief when the moments became too tense.

The recitation of Miss Hazel Bond between the third and fourth acts entitled "Here's to the Day," was much appreciated by the audience.

The Montreal Home for the Blind derives the benefits from each performance this week. The play has been well patronized so far, and those who attend it will not spend a more successful evening.

THE GAYETY THEATRE.

This week's show, "The Sporting Widows," is conspicuous for the number of pretty girls in the chorus, and their singing and dancing is only second to their good looks.

The play consists of three acts, full of fun and catchy music. Miss Anna R. Mack as Daisy, head saleslady, and Miss Ruth Lockwood as Minnie Mint, a footlight favorite, stars in several catchy hits.

Miss Daisy Mayfair as "Trixie," the errand girl, brings down the house with her queer antics and gestures.

Mr. Vincent Deerey does some fine singing and dancing, and Mr. Mack and Mr. Barry as two bums, full of some funny stuff, pleased the crowd, and were encored several times.

During the intermission between the acts the International Musical Four entertain the crowd with popular music, and on the whole the show is well worth going to see, and everybody is sure to find something in it to take their fancy.

Saving the Turner Drawings

The Turner drawings, which any one may have shown to him by an attendant in the basement of the National Gallery in London, are a monument to generous devotion on the part of one great man, John Ruskin, to the fame of another. Ruskin tells of his long task, self-assumed, of sifting, classifying and arranging drawings and water colors of Turner. He says:

"In seventeen boxes in the lower room of the National Gallery I found upwards of nineteen thousand pieces of paper, drawn on by Turner in one way or another—many on both sides. Some with four, five or six subjects on each side (the pencil point digging spiritedly through from the foregrounds of the front into the tender pieces of sky on the back). Some in chalk, which the touch of the finger would sweep away. The best book of studies for his great shipwrecks contained about a quarter of a pound of chalk, debris, black and white, broken off the crayons with which Turner had drawn furiously on both sides of the leaves; every leaf with peculiar forethought and consideration of the difficulties to be met by future mounters containing half of one subject on the front and half of another on the back. . . . Many torn, half way through; numbers doubled (quadrupled I should

say) into four, being Turner's favorite way of packing for travelling; nearly all rudely flattened out from the bundles in which Turner had finally rolled them up and squeezed them into the drawers on Queen Anne Street.

"About half, or rather more, of the entire number consisted of pencil sketches in flat oblong pocket books, dropping to pieces at the back, tearing laterally whenever opened, and every drawing rubbing itself into the one opposite. These first I paged with my own hand, then unbound, and laid every leaf separately on a clean sheet of perfectly smooth writing paper, so that it might receive no further injury. Then enclosing the contents and boards of each book (usually ninety-two leaves, more or less, drawn on both sides, with two sketches on the boards at the beginning and end) in a separate sealed packet I returned it to its tin box. The loose sketches needed more trouble. The dust had first to be got off them (from the chalk ones it could only be blown off), then they had to be variously flattened; the torn ones to be laid down, the loveliest guarded so as to prevent all future friction and glazing, and cabinets constructed for them, which would admit of their free use by the public."

King Alfred's Education

"Alfred was wholly ignorant of letters until he attained twelve years of age," writes Sir Francis Palgrave. "He was greatly loved by his parents, who fondled the boy for his beauty; but that instruction which the poorest child can now acquire with the greatest ease was withheld from the son of the Saxon king. Alfred was taught to wind the horn and to bend the bow, to hunt and to hawk; and he acquired great skill in the art of the chase, considered throughout the middle ages the most necessary accomplishment of the nobility, whilst book-learning was thought of little use to them. Alfred's eager mind did not, however, remain unemployed. Though he could not read, he could attend, and he listened eagerly to the verses which were recited in his father's hall by the minstrels and the gleemen, the masters of Anglo-Saxon song. Day and night would he employ in hearkening to these poems; he treasured them in his memory, and during the whole of his life poetry continued to be his solace and amusement.

"It chanced one day that Alfred's mother, Osburga, showed to him and his brothers a volume of Anglo-Saxon poetry which she possessed. 'He who first can read the book shall have it,' she said. Alfred's attention was attracted by the bright gliding and col-

oring of one of the illuminated capital letters. He was delighted with the gay volume, and enquired of his mother, would she really keep her word. She confirmed the promise and put the book into his hands, and he applied so steadily to his task that the book became his own.

"When the treaty of Wedmore freed him from the Danes, Alfred's plans for the intellectual cultivation of his country were directed, in the first instance, to the diffusion of knowledge amongst the great body of the people. Hence he earnestly recommended the translation of useful books into the language which we all understand; so that all the youth of England, but more especially those that are of gentle-kind and at ease in their circumstances, may be grounded in letters—for they cannot profit in any pursuit until they are well able to read English." This opinion is extracted from a document appearing to have been a circular letter addressed by Alfred to the bishops; and the desire which it expresses is the best proof of the sincerity of his intentions. . . . The general tendency of the middle ages was to centre all erudition in a particular caste, severed from the rest of society. Alfred's labors, on the contrary, were directed to enable every individual to have a share, according to his station and degree, in the common inheritance of wisdom."

SIR WILLIAM PETERSON ON EUROPEAN WAR

Delivers Stirring Message on Dominion's Part in the Struggle.

PRUSSIANISM ARRAIGNED

Dr. A. W. Thornton Gives Vivid Description of Outrages Committed by Germans.

A thanksgiving supper was given at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening. Some sixty men of the Fourth University Company were in attendance. After a very pleasant repast, some interesting speeches were given by Sir Wm. Peterson and Dr. A. W. Thornton.

The dinner was attended by nearly three hundred members and visitors, many of them in khaki, and was under the chairmanship of Dr. F. J. Tees.

Sir William Peterson, who spoke after the singing of "Rule, Britannia," asked how Canada would now have been situated but for the British navy. The song, he said, was most appropriate at the present time, for Britain did actually rule the waves, and not until she should graciously be pleased to give permission would the German flag be seen upon the ocean again. The significance of the imperative in the word "Rule" was perhaps sometimes forgotten in Canada, for the Dominion might have done more towards maintaining the Empire's supremacy at sea.

One of the most cunning things which the Germans had done to justify themselves, Sir William pursued, was to set up against the reproach of their militarism the pretence that Britain's so-called navalism was just as bad, and to such an extent that some Americans, boastful of their neutrality, had suggested that Britain and Germany were equally at fault. But not all Americans were of this opinion, the speaker declared, and perhaps the best way to define the general neutral feeling in the United States was to quote one citizen who said he cared little whether it was the British, the French or the Russians who should defeat Germany.

Whatever might be said of this British navalism, nobody could plausibly declare that it had been oppressive, and the southern republic, indeed, had practically grown up under the protection of the British Empire. To Britain, with her far-flung empire, the supremacy of the seas was a necessity and not a weapon of aggression. But if Britain lost this supremacy, the Germans would gain it, and the choice was, therefore, reduced to an alternative between British and German civilization.

Sir William Peterson turned to consider the Dominion's part in the war, declaring that Canadians had been elevated above their cousins to the south in being privileged to do their share in this great world-conflict and help in checking Germany in her spring at the throat of Freedom. If there had been the slightest doubt as to the righteousness of Britain's cause, that automatic and unshrinking rally of the dominions to the flag would never have been possible. This alone was strong evidence that the cause was just. Italy's action in withdrawing herself from alliance with Germany when the Kaiser's aggressive armies poured into Belgium was further proof. As for the attitude of the Balkan states, there were some races whose sense of right ranked not as high as Britain's, and whom other considerations might influence.

In dealing with the German want of logic in their declarations and actions, the speaker compared the Teutons in their submarine policy with a burglar who justified himself in shooting a man in his sleep because he found a revolver under the sleeper's pillow after doing the murder.

An appeal that Canada should do more and still more in this war for freedom concluded Sir William's speech, attention being called by him to the fact that of the overseas dominions, Canada was not in the lead, much as she had done for the cause.

Dr. A. W. Thornton vividly described many of the outrages of German warfare. The declaration of one German officer that Germany was out to win—made in answer to an Englishman's reproach that Britain had played the game while Germany had not—summed up the German attitude, he said. It was against the principles which actuated such deeds as the sinking of the Lusitania, the invasion of Belgium and the dropping of bombs in the streets of London, that the Canadians were now called upon to fight.

Victory for the Allies must be gained at a great price, Dr. Thornton went on. The people did not seem to have wakened up to this fact. All must serve in some way or another, for none had the right to let the soldiers go and offer up their lives while they themselves stayed at home and enjoyed every accustomed luxury. Voluntary conscription, if such a paradoxical term could be used, the speaker declared to be the best means of attaining victory. This victory would require the united strength and the united service of every one, and the end of such unity of sacrifice would be to bring about a better civilization than the world had ever known a civilization in which God would play no mean part.

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Laval Stationary Hospital No. 6, now recruiting here under the command of Lieut.-Col. G. E. Beauchamp, is to be doubled in size, and transformed into a general hospital. Such is the information emanating from authoritative sources yesterday.

The unit, which has gained much admiration through the high class of its personnel, is authorized to recruit one hundred and twenty men and twenty-one nurses under the present constitution; it is now said that the personnel will be extended to comprise two hundred and forty-two men and seventy-three nurses.

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"M" WINNERS MUST PLAY IN 50 P.C. OF GAMES

Only 13 Large Ms and 17 Small
Ms Will be Granted by
Association.

JUDGES TO BE APPOINTED

Medical Examination for Con-
testants in Interclass Athletics
Is Imperative.

At a meeting of the Athletic As-
sociation last night, the following res-
olutions were adopted:

"That any man, in order to be eli-
gible to win either a large block M or
a small block M, must play in at least
50 per cent. of the total number of
halves in the inter-class games, and
75 per cent. of the total number of
halves in the inter-faculty games in
which his team participates."

It was also decided to limit the num-
ber of letters to be granted to 13 large
block M's and 17 small block M's. This
does not necessarily mean, however,
that this number will be granted.

The proposal to have two judges,
which are to be appointed later, to ad-
judge the relative merits of the vari-
ous men, was adopted.

Medical Examination.
Every man who takes part in an in-
ter-class athletic contest, must first
have submitted himself for medical ex-
amination to the medical director.
This is a necessary preliminary to
every inter-class and inter-faculty
contest, and an undergraduate who
fails to do this is liable to debarment
from college athletics.

This step is taken in order that no
man who is not in a fit state of health
to do so shall take part in athletics and
render himself liable to perhaps per-
manent injury.

R. V. C. JUNIORS ELECT OFFICERS

Miss Wanda Wyatt Chosen
President of Class
Yesterday.

An important meeting of R. V. C.
'17, was held in the Common Room at
one o'clock yesterday. The chief busi-
ness was the election of officers. The
following were chosen:

President—Miss Wanda Wyatt.
Vice-President—Miss Marjorie Flet-
cher.

Representative Vice-President—Miss
Jocelyn Patton.

Secretary—Miss Vera Adams.

Miss Enid Price, the retiring pres-
ident, expressed her appreciation of the
help the girls had given her during
the year, and welcomed the new pres-
ident, Miss Wyatt. A vote of thanks
was tendered Miss Price for the suc-
cessful and efficient manner in which
she carried out the duties of her of-
fice. The meeting then adjourned.

W. H. GERRIE IS NEW SECRETARY

Athletic Association Takes Up
Matter of Awarding
Letters.

At a meeting of the Athletic Asso-
ciation held yesterday afternoon, the
question of granting Ms to Football,
Track and Tennis men was taken up.
The committee appointed by the A. A.
to look into this matter reported on it,
outlining plans for each of these three
clubs. After discussion, and some
minor changes, their suggestions were
approved of and passed. An explana-
tion of the scheme for each club ap-
pears in other columns.

Mr. W. H. Gerrie, Sci. '17, was elect-
ed Secretary of the A. A. vice, St.
Clair Ward resigned.

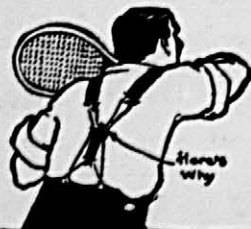
A letter from J. Fawcett, Med. '18,
was read asking for permission to play
outside football. This was granted,
following the resolution passed by the
A. A. at the last meeting.

After the discussion of several other
items of business the meeting then
adjourned.

NOTICE.

Med. '19 will hold a football
practice to-day, at 4 p.m., on
the new Stadium. Up!

G. A. PARKINS, Capt.



**PRESIDENT
SUSPENDER**

NONE-SO-EASY

SCIENCE '17 PRACTICE

Signal Practice to be Held in Stadium
at 4:30 This Afternoon.

There will be a signal practice for
the Sci. '17, Football team this after-
noon, at 4.30, in the new Stadium. No
uniforms are required. The following
are requested to turn out.

E. A. Cushing, E. P. Wilson, I. W.
Beverley, F. H. Booth, B. S. Boyd,
Grey, Liddy, Alan Clarke, V. Lemay, O.
McCulloch, W. B. Scott, G. Carroll,
Heartz, Y. Scott, ropp, J. Shanly,
Fraser, A. Charlton, H. Crombie, W. S.
Cole, McLeod, Al. Poe, C. Pope.

Any others who have had any ex-
perience are expected to turn out also.
J. A. FERGUSON, Capt.

TENNIS ENTRIES CLOSE AT NOON

Senior and Freshmen Tourna-
ments Will Take Place
Shortly.

The schedule for the senior and
freshmen tennis tournaments will be
posted to-day at noon in Mr. Melville's
office in the Union. It is essential
that any man who has not signed the
slips hand in their names at the Union
the first thing this morning, as it will
be positively the last chance.

A team will be picked on the show-
ing made by the men in this tourna-
ment and one to be held later on. The
Athletic Association has decided to
grant four letters, so it is up to every
man to go after one.

As there will be some difficulty
about the arrangement of playing
time, each man is requested to leave
his telephone number with Mr. Mel-
ville, who has kindly consented to help
us out. Matches must be played as
soon as possible, and the scores turned
in. Players failing to comply with
this ruling will be scratched.

Tournament players will have pre-
cedence on the first two courts. A
match will consist of two sets (long)
out of three, and the finals will be
three out of five. Opponents will
change courts after every odd game.
All membership fees must be paid
immediately.

Y.W.C.A. RECEPTION

Annual Function at Royal Victoria
College to be Held To-day.

The annual Y. W. C. A. reception is
to be held to-day at half-past four, in
the Common Room. The Y. W. invites
all the senior year to come and meet
the freshies. Miss Hurlbatt has con-
sented to speak for a few minutes,
welcoming those entering the first
year. Miss Saunders, the national
secretary, is also to be present and
will deliver a short address.

CADETS FOR AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Sydney, New South Wales — The
Royal Australian Naval College at
Jervis Bay, having just issued an an-
nouncement that 30 vacancies for
naval cadets were open to boys desir-
ous of a training as future officers of
the fleet, has been already gratified by
the enthusiastic response from boys,
and parents willing to send in nomi-
nations for their sons. No less than
429 applications have been forwarded,
an argument contrary to the ready-
made opinion that Australian boys do
not incline towards a sea life. For-
merly the number of applicants for
each vacancy for a cadet midshipman
averaged at about five; this year the
proportion is 14 to one vacancy. The
recently created ministerial depart-
ment of the navy, represented by Mr.
Jensen, announced lately that the ap-
pointment would now be adjudged on
a Commonwealth basis, rather than a
state basis as formerly. He thanked
the press for invaluable help in ad-
vertising the matter, and stated that
individual candidates would be in-
formed when and where the prelimi-
nary interview would take place. It is
interesting to note that correspond-
ents in Great Britain, South Africa,
New Zealand and elsewhere, figured
largely among inquirers as to partic-
ulars of entry and so on. The actual
statistics of figures from the various
states are here quoted as they are
of special significance just now:

Victoria	197
New South Wales	108
Western Australia	54
Queensland	39
South Australia	28
Tasmania	12
Total	429

ART ALBUMS FOR UNITED STATES

Paris, Oct. 13.—The United States
ambassador in Paris, Mr. Sharp, has
written to M. Hanotaux, president of
the France-America committee, a let-
ter expressing the thanks of the sec-
retary of state at Washington on behalf
of the American nation for the albums
containing original drawings and auto-
graphs presented to the United States
by the Sorbonne, in token of gratitude
for the help which has been furnished
by American citizens to France. The
albums, states Mr. Sharp, have been
placed in the Washington art gallery,
where they will remain as a token of
the good will and affection which unite
the two great republics. M. Hanotaux
has replied to the American am-
bassador's letter, stating that the ar-
tists and writers who have contrib-
uted to the albums regard it as the
greatest honor that their productions
should have found a place among the
art treasures at Washington.

University of Missouri's co-eds de-
fine a "date" as follows: "A 'date' is
a social engagement between a man
and a woman to take place after 6
p.m., and lasting a longer period than
one-half hour." Also decided to "al-
low four 'dates' a week," but did not
specify the nights.

SECURE COACH FOR NEW MCGILL SOCCER SQUAD

Popular Game is Expected to
Boom at the University
This Session.

MEETING WAS CALLED

H. Colebourne, New Coach, Has
Had Considerable Experience
—Will Be Handy Man.

Several men have been asking if
there is going to be any soccer this
year, and if so when and where is it
going to get started.
The executive of the McGill Soccer
Club wish to announce that they have
secured a coach who is willing to give
his time in interest of soccer at Mc-
Gill. This man in question is H. Cole-
bourne, who a few years ago, was a
member of Everton team, and also of
notable athletic abilities in England.
He has since then until three years
ago been refereeing many games and
his knowledge should be of great use
to the Soccer Team.

McGill is the only University that
has not a soccer team which can ob-
tain its "M's" owing to the Athletic
Association not giving them a grant.
Of course, this cannot be expected,
but it is intended that soccer should
take good interest, and if so, a large
number of matches will be played and
the receipts go for patriotic purposes.
The executive are now trying to ar-
range with the Athletic Association so
that "M's" will be given for those
playing in the matches this season. It
is up to everybody to get out and even
if there are enough players for two
teams a large number of matches can
be arranged.

The executive have called a meet-
ing for Friday evening at 7.30, in Room
A, Strathcona Hall, and they want
every man who has any interest in the
game at all to be sure of being at this
meeting.

TENNIS SEASON OPENED AT R.V.C.

Three Matches Have Already
Been Played In
Tournament.

The tennis season has re-opened at
the R.V.C. and the sport is being pur-
sued with the same enthusiasm as in
former years. The following teams
have been chosen to play in the Inter-
Class Tournament.

Seniors—1, M. Cameron; 2, A.
Younger; 3, M. Currie; 4, G. McDon-
ald.

Juniors—1, W. Wyatt; 2, M. Spier;
3, F. Kilgour; 4, M. Newnham.
Sophs.—1, L. Fowler; 2, S. Cameron;
3, E. Duff; 4, M. Hay.

Freshies—1, B. Abbott; 2, F. Grind-
ley; 3, D. Mathewson; 4, K. Milligan.
Players are requested to make a
special effort to finish the series by
Friday as a team must be chosen to
play Macdonald in the near future.
Up to date only three matches have
been played off:

M. Currie, '16, won from E. Duff, '18,
9-7.
W. Wyatt, '17, won from M. Camer-
on, '16, 13-3.
M. Spier, '17, won from F. Grindley,
'19, 12-4.

The Tobacco Fund

The following are subscriptions re-
ceived so far this week for the fund
which is being raised to furnish the
First University Company with to-
bacco.

F. P. Banfield	25
L. M. Matthews	25
Allan Clark	25
C. McLachlan	25
J. H. Moore	25
A. Friend from Medicine	1.00
B. Mowat	25
P. Lemay	25
E. P. Wilson	25
John E. C. Elliott	25
G. Brundvick	25
C. J. Tidmarsh	25
L. C. Watson	50
N. J. Lake	25
L. H. Biggar	25
E. Gillis	25
C. Woolward	25
R. W. Farmer	25
C. Greaves	25
Total	\$6.00

SECRET MEETINGS?

Freshmen Said to be Organizing to
Meet Sophomores on Sports Day.

The Daily has it from reliable au-
thority that the freshmen are holding
secret meetings which may lead to disas-
trous results for the sophs. on
Sports Day. One of the freshmen even
admitted under pressure that they are
collecting the sum of \$1.50 from each
member of the year to be expended in
a manner best known to themselves.

CAN'T FLIRT THROUGH THESE.

Cloth windows are the latest school
room device. They admit fresh air,
give a diffused, soft light, keep the
room normally humid and save the
cost of ventilating machines. The
new windows are said by a writer in
School and Society to provide all the
benefits of open air schools without
their inconveniences.

HEED THE WARNING.

A Chicago waitress played poker and
won a husband.
This ought to be a warning against
gambling.

FOOTBALL OPENER

Arts '18 and Arts '19 Clash This Af-
ternoon at the Stadium Grounds.

The football teams representing
Arts, '18, and Arts, '19, meet at two
o'clock this afternoon in the first in-
ter-game of the season at the Stadium.
Both teams, particularly that of the
Sophomores, have been holding prac-
tices and seem to be in the best of
shape. It is probable that some good
junior football will result, a fitting
opening to the season.

STUDENTS' COUNCIL MEETING.

A meeting of the Students' Council
will be held Thursday evening.

PARTICIPANTS MUST TAKE EXAMINATION

Men Taking Part in Athletics
Without Seeing Medical Direc-
tor Liable to Suspension.

Footballers, track and field athletes,
and all who intend to take part in
athletics of any kind should observe
the following:

Men who play in any kind of foot-
ball, inter-class or otherwise, before
being physically examined this ses-
sion, are throwing themselves open to
immediate suspension from all Uni-
versity athletics and to forfeiture of
any athletic insignia that they may
have won in the past.

Students must not play on outside
teams unless they have just received
the sanction of the Athletic Associa-
tion of the University, and the Ath-
letics Committee of Corporation, un-
der liability of suspension. Ignorance
of the above rulings will not be taken
as an excuse.

Examinations are being conducted
on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays
and Fridays, from 4 to 6.30, at the C.O.T.C.
headquarters, 425 Sherbrooke St. W.
There is no special examination time
for men desiring to compete in any
form of athletics. They have the priv-
ilege of presenting themselves at any
of the above hours during the time
the Freshmen are being examined.

MCMASTER NEEDS MONEY.

At the Fall Convocation of McMas-
ter University last week, Prof. J. B.
Tingle delivered a very instructive ad-
dress, in which he showed that a
knowledge of chemistry is essential
for the development of natural re-
sources, also to aid engineers in their
work of progress. Chancellor Mc-
Crimmon made a strong plea for fi-
nancial aid for the college. Last
year's deficit will probably be increas-
ed this year as a result of war condi-
tions.

JOURNALISM INVADERS REFORMATORY.

A correspondence course in journa-
lism, given by the University of Wash-
ington, has found its way into the re-
formatory at Monroe. Five out of the
seven inmates having enrolled remain.
One of them completed the course and
the other dropped out.
Those who enrolled in the course
are getting practical instruction and
experience through The Index, a peri-
odical published by the reformatory.

The Laugh Line

THE START.

A young woman, neatly but fashion-
ably attired, entered the railway sta-
tion and took a seat in the waiting-
room.

She carried a baby.

After a while the baby cried, and the
young woman fed it and fondled it.
Her eyes showed traces of tears.

The baby slept. The young woman
laid it in the seat next to her. She
rose and walked to the door leading
out on the tracks. At the threshold
she glanced swiftly back.

The door opened, and the chill air
smote her hot face.

"What are you doing?" demanded a
man in uniform, gruffly.

"Hush! We're getting a short story
started," she faltered, tremulously
adding, as she vanished in the dark-
ness: "A story that will start a little
differently, you know!"

THESE JUNE BRIDES.

"Ma'am, here's man at the door with
a parcel for you."
"What is it, Bridget?"
"It's a fish, ma'am, and it's mark-
ed C. O. D."

"Then make him take it straight
back to the dealer, I ordered trout."

COULDN'T TELL.

"Won't you be very, very happy
when your sentence is over?" cheer-
fully asked a woman of a convict in
prison.

"I dunno, ma'am; I dunno," gloom-
ily answered the man.

"You don't know?" asked the wom-
an, amazed. "Why not?"
"I'm in for life."

QUALIFIED.

"And why do you think," asked the
President-elect, "that you would be an
ornament to the diplomatic corps?"
"Sir," replied the applicant for the
honors, with pardonable pride, "for
four years I have held down the job
of directing a church choir!"

SCOOPED.

Visitor.—You think your paper is
far superior to that of your rival?
Country Editor.—We are away
ahead of them. Our boiler-plate last
week was "Peary Ought to Discover
the Pole this Year," and the best they
could do was "Dewey's Home-Coming
to Be a Big Success."

A Suggestion for Efficient Economy

Throughout the Empire has gone the call for personal
economy to meet the extraordinary demands of the war.
Here is a timely suggestion to men who have been spending
from \$25.00 to \$75.00 a year on barber shop shaves:

Invest five dollars in a

GILLETTE Safety Razor

and shave yourself at home.

The saving will not be limited to money—the time you'll gain will
be even more important, for the morning shave with the Gillette need
not take more than five minutes.

And the comfort rivals the economy. Though you never shaved
yourself before, you'll have no trouble in getting a clean, cool, safe
shave with the Gillette Safety Razor. No more waiting your turn in the
chair—no more breaks in the morning's work—no more dependence on
unknown barbers when travelling, for the Gillette works anywhere.

Truly, the man with a Gillette is an efficient economist. Get
one yourself to-day. "Bulldog," "Aristocrat" or Standard Sets cost \$5.
—Pocket Editions \$5. to \$6.—Combination Sets \$6.50 up. Your
Hardware Dealer or Jeweler will show you an assortment.

Gillette Safety Razor Co. of Canada, Limited
Office and Factory—Gillette Bldg., Montreal.



GROWING LIST FRESH-SOPH. MEET ENTRIES

Scheme of Granting Ms to Par-
ticipants Is Finally
Arranged.

MORE MEN TURNING OUT

New Sytem Is Based Upon Com-
parison of Separate College
Meets.

The number of entries already re-
ceived for the Freshmen-Sophomore
Sports to be held next Saturday after-
noon, is, it has been learned, most en-
couraging. Little has as yet been
heard from Medicine, but Arts and
Science are showing their interest.

A number of men were out practic-
ing yesterday, among them some
promising newcomers.

Roussac, a freshman in Science,
shapes up well in the sprints, and is
known to be a dark horse in the
hurdles.

Gordon Nicholson, of Arts '18, has
entered for the sprints. He is an old
Westmount Academy performer.
Block, the High School sprinter, is
getting into real condition now, while
Hoss, Saffoley and Woolworth are other
freshmen who have been out regu-
larly.

The old guard is now beginning to
fall into line.

Don Smelzer is losing weight rapid-
ly. Don is out to make trouble this
year.

Bill Gerrie is training hard.

McCreary, a Med. '19 man, has been
working for weeks past, and is going
better every day.

Bill Aultiff, after a good summer's
training at the M.A.A.A. is ready to
show the best of them something new.

Hugh Crombie, a member of the
Track Team for the past two years is
at it again. Jack Rutherford, who was
his running mate last year, has gone
to war, so it's up to Hugh now.

Cassidy, of Arts '17, after a hard
summer's work, hopes to have a look
in at the distance runs.

Trapp, of last year's first team foot-
ball squad has promised to try the
weight events. He is surely husky
enough to at least balance the im-
plements of the trade.

Derochie, of Med. '19, is also expect-
ed out for the weights. He is an un-
known quantity.

F. S. Parsons, Sci. '17, a member of
last year's Track Team is busy wonder-
ing how to get into condition with-
out losing too much weight. He has
a hard problem to work out.

A big practice is expected to-mor-
row afternoon. There should be thirty
men at least on the field.

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CASUALTY LIST OF MCGILL MEN STILL GROWING

Lieut. Cecil Crosley Was Prominent Boxer and Footballer at McGill.

LIEUT. R. P. COWEN KILLED

Pte. Oscar Y. Brown, Who Died While a Prisoner, Was Student Here Some Years Ago.

Lieut. Cecil Crosley, well known at McGill some years ago as a prominent sportsman and athlete, was killed in action on August 16th while fighting with his regiment, the 5th Royal Irish Fusiliers, in the Dardanelles. Such was the information which reached the University authorities yesterday from Lieut. Crosley's mother, Mrs. Crosley, The Embankment, London, S.W. The tenth division of the Royal Irish Fusiliers was mentioned for its gallant work after the Gallipoli landing.

Lieut. Crosley was known at McGill, in addition to his class standing, for the active interest which he took in athletics. He was intercollegiate heavyweight boxing champion in 1911-1912, captain of the English Rugby team in 1910-11, and president of the English Rugby Club in 1912-13. He was a most popular student and a favorite with everybody. His loss will be deeply regretted by his fellow-students and by the University at large.

Lieutenant Reginald Percival (Pit) Cowen, Sc. '16, belonging to the 16th Border Regiment, Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, died of dysentery at the Dardanelles on August 16th, the same day upon which Lieut. Crosley was killed in action.

The Militia Department at Ottawa announced the death of Private Oscar Yeomans Brown in the midnight casualty list of October 10th. Brown received a gunshot wound in the back in the fighting at St. Julien on April 26th and died on September 15th at Dortmund, Germany.

Pte. Brown was a former student of McGill and an undergraduate of Harvard. He was engaged on the editorial staff of the Montreal Evening News when war broke out, and his brother Harold was also a reporter in Montreal. When hostilities were declared, they both enlisted in the first Canadian Division C.E.F. Pte. O. Y. Brown was attached to the Third Battalion, C.E.F., and previous to being taken a prisoner of war at St. Julien, took part in all the heavy fighting in which the Canadian division participated.

News has been received in Montreal of the fact that Lieut. Victor Duclos, of the 24th Battalion, who was reported wounded a few days ago, met injury accidentally. It seems probable that Lieut. Duclos, who was in charge of the bomb-throwing corps, was wounded by the premature explosion of a grenade.

CHANGES HIS NAME

Gutman a Name Too Pro-German for Patriotic Queen's Professor.

Because his former surname of Gutman had a pro-German sound, the former professor of Queen's who bore that name has formally renounced it. He enrolled such formal notice in the Supreme Court of Judicature at London, England, in August last, stating that henceforth he will be known as Leo Frank Goodwin.

Captain Goodwin, who recently returned from the war on the steamship Misanabie, went overseas with the first Canadian expeditionary force.

PHYSICAL SOCIETY OPENS ITS SEASON

Dr. Howard T. Barnes Delivers Address on "The Quartz Lamp."

The Physical Society met yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Physics Building for the first time this session. After a general shaking hands on the part of the older members, tea was served by Dr. King and Mr. Reilly.

Later the meeting was called to order by last year's president, Dr. Barnes, who, in the absence of the secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. These were adopted, and those present concerned themselves with the election of new officers.

Dr. Johnson was elected to occupy the president's chair, and Mr. Wheeler as vice-president. Miss Henry was elected secretary. Drs. Barnes, Stanfield and Shaw were chosen as constituting the new advisory committee.

The new president took the chair and called upon Dr. Barnes to give a short exposition on the quartz lamp. This Dr. Barnes did in admirable manner. He commenced by showing the similarity of his new piece of apparatus to that of the Cooper-Hewitt lamp which is so prevalent in all the cheap photo galleries of this city. Both lamps make use of the luminosity of mercury vapour caused by the passage of an electric current. Originally such apparatus was used as a transformer, but by substituting the ordinary glass tube with one of quartz glass, the ultra violet rays are obtained.

Dr. Barnes showed by experiment how powerful these rays were by their bleaching power, and explained how irritating they were to the eyes. Unlike the X or Roentgen rays, the ultra violet rays do not penetrate below the skin. They do, however, if allowed to play upon the skin at a distance of about six inches for a period of two or three minutes, produce an effect very similar to that of a sunburn, but if allowed to play longer they form large blotches of a more serious nature.

On the conclusion of Dr. Barnes' address, the meeting was thrown open to discussion by the new president, and much concerning the practical application of these rays was learned from one of the lady members.

The meeting was concluded by the introduction to the society of a new piece of apparatus for the measurement of particles of dust per cubic centimeter of air. Owing to some slight imperfection, a practical demonstration was not given. The society therefore has something most interesting in store.

REINFORCEMENTS WILL BE NEEDED

Third Year Conditioned Reservists May be Called to Assist the Sophomores.

"Straws show which way the wind blows," and from the fact that an unusual number of enquiries have been made at the Daily office for the names and addresses of the presidents of the various freshman classes by officers of other first-year classes, it may be inferred that the new-comers are preparing for thorough organization on the occasion of the annual sports day. When the strength of the freshmen is compared with that of the sophomores, it can easily be seen that the second-year men will have a hard row to hoe, particularly when the unsuitability of the Stadium grounds for defence purposes is considered. It is hinted that the necessity for reinforcements to the sophomores will become so urgent that the third-year students carrying second-year subjects will be summoned to their assistance. Should this be decided upon, it will mean the addition of considerable numbers to the second-year squad.

FIRST PARADE OF THE C.O.T.C. OCTOBER 14TH

Recruit Drill Continue During Remainder of the Week.

ATTACHED TO COMPANIES

Company Q. M. S. Seale and Booth Receive Commissions in the C.O.T.C.

BATTALION ORDERS No. 7, by
LIEUT.-COLONEL ROBERT STARKE,
O.C. McGill Cont. C.O.T.C.

Montreal, Oct. 9, 1915.

1. Appointments and Promotions. The following appointments and promotions are hereby approved and confirmed:

Com. Q. M. S., E. M. Seale, to be lieutenant and platoon commander "A" Company.
Com. Q. M. S. P. Booth, to be lieutenant and platoon commander "B" Company.

By order,
J. C. SIMPSON,
Lieutenant,
Act. Adj. McGill Cont. C.O.T.C.

BATTALION ORDER No. 7,

MCGILL CONTINGENT, C. O. T. C.

PART II.

Station, Montreal.
Date, Oct. 9, 1915.

2. Taken on Strength.

The following men are taken on the strength of the Battalion from the dates opposite their respective names, and assigned to companies as shown:

"A" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

7. Bizey, D. E. 27-9-15
16. Ashdown, H. K. 27-9-15
18. Dods, D. D. 27-9-15
19. Webber, F. 28-9-15
20. Brown, T. 28-9-15
25. Haddon, C. 28-9-15
26. Kochner, G. B. 28-9-15
27. Hojel, H. C. 28-9-15
31. Longfellow, S. 28-9-15
34. Garneys, C. H. 28-9-15
63. Chester, H. W. 29-9-15
64. Read, N. 29-9-15
66. Miller, G. B. 29-9-15
67. Lydon, R. W. 29-9-15
68. McNoe, T. 29-9-15
69. Matcham, C. 29-9-15
71. Liun, T. S. 29-9-15
73. Cowan, A. 29-9-15
75. Kennedy, W. A. 29-9-15
76. Mountain, E. G. 29-9-15
81. Harris, R. W. 29-9-15
84. Allen, W. H. 4-10-15
85. McNab, C. K. 4-10-15
90. McNab, W. S. 4-10-15
104. Beswick, J. C. 4-10-15
105. McCallum, J. 4-10-15
123. Abraham, C. C. 5-10-15
127. Shaw, A. E. 5-10-15
133. Foster, J. W. 5-10-15
143. Bridgen, E. E. 5-10-15
152. Beattie, J. D. N. 6-10-15
159. MacDonald, O. J. 6-10-15
116. Smith, P. L. 5-10-15
118. Hurly, H. 5-10-15
174. Evans, S. 7-10-15

"B" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

3. "B" Chivers, R. L. 27-9-15
22. Killaly, R. H. 28-9-15
29. Reay, G. B. 28-9-15
26. Phillips, C. E. H. 28-9-15
42. Miller, R. C. 28-9-15
43. Beattie, R. C. 28-9-15
45. Richardson, E. C. 28-9-15
47. Church, W. J. 28-9-15
56. Williamson, A. B. 28-9-15
57. Reid, J. N. 28-9-15
85. Laidlaw, H. 4-10-15
95. Thompson, G. D. 4-10-15
107. Aitken, J. C. 4-10-15
114. Sifton, C. V. 4-10-15
115. Holland, H. G. 4-10-15
128. Smith, G. P. 5-10-15
133. Farthing, J. C. 7-10-15

Recruits.

108. Crone, A. K. 4-10-15
121. Pitcher, F. 4-10-15
160. Heslam, G. H. 6-10-15
154. Vipond, V. A. 6-10-15
157. Soper, A. J. 6-10-15
189. Carey, E. G. 7-10-15

"C" COMPANY.

Recruits.

89. Price, W. H. 4-10-15
100. Bourque, J. A. 4-10-15
106. Tenholme, W. K. 4-10-15
179. Honey, C. W. 7-10-15
126. Weatherley, T. E. 5-10-15
171. Murtha, D. P. 6-10-15

"D" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

1. Dagg, W. I. 27-9-15
6. Solomon, A. 27-9-15
11. Johnson, L. H. 27-9-15
12. Worrall, F. H. 27-9-15
13. Howard, C. M. B. 27-9-15
15. Stewart, J. M. 27-9-15
17. Moorehouse, T. A. 27-9-15
23. King, W. J. 28-9-15
24. Kirchberg, G. 28-9-15
28. Taylor, D. P. 28-9-15
30. Bender, E. 28-9-15
33. Burland, A. H. 28-9-15
35. Carbutt, J. C. 28-9-15
37. Wheatley, G. J. 28-9-15
38. Bremner, J. E. 28-9-15
39. Sadler, H. L. 28-9-15
40. Brodie, R. 28-9-15
41. Bloom, J. 28-9-15
44. McGregor, G. 28-9-15
46. Manders, G. J. 28-9-15
48. Illsley, C. W. 28-9-15
49. Spence, J. C. 28-9-15
50. Woodward, J. 28-9-15
51. Roberts, B. W. 28-9-15
52. Beattie, D. J. 28-9-15
53. Drury, J. S. 28-9-15
54. Spry, W. J. 28-9-15
55. Horner, J. 28-9-15
58. Davies, C. L. 29-9-15
59. Warren, J. H. L. 29-9-15
61. McFall, E. A. 29-9-15
62. Pinsonneault, L. P. 29-9-15
70. Henderson, G. W. S. 29-9-15
72. Fowler, W. H. 29-9-15
73. Moore, R. A. 29-9-15
79. Darroch, D. 29-9-15

OFFICERS ARE NAMED

F. J. Scully, Med. '17, is Elected Assistant Treasurer of the Junior Year.

At a class meeting of Medicine, '17, held yesterday, F. J. Scully was elected assistant treasurer of the Junior year. F. N. K. Falls and H. L. Gofey were returned as representatives on the McGill Daily editorial staff.

98. Roberts, J. L. 4-10-15
101. Myzner, E. L. 4-10-15
102. Norman, C. R. 4-10-15
105. Spielman, F. I. 5-10-15
162. Carnegie, J. L. 5-10-15
188. Hart, G. 7-10-15
190. Ulph, H. 7-10-15
134. Brown, J. S. 5-10-15
145. Paton, H. K. 5-10-15
167. Brown, J. 5-10-15
170. Blackshaw, W. 6-10-15
172. Pask, E. B. W. 7-10-15
182. Johnston, G. P. G. 7-10-15
184. Morgan, C. F. 7-10-15

Recruits.

60. Hunter, F. 29-9-15
111. Adair, J. 4-10-15
186. Kirsch, N. 6-10-15

"B" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

126. West, F. L. 5-10-15
129. Penny, E. C. T. 5-10-15
173. Harrothe, E. S. 7-10-15
191. Desbarats, H. 8-10-15
199. Oakley, C. J. 8-10-15
201. Dawson, S. A. 8-10-15
117. Schofield, J. H. 8-10-15
164. Daber, W. C. 6-10-15

Recruits.

202. Wilson, A. E. 8-10-15

"D" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

176. Shearman, E. A. 7-10-15

"B" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

128. Drummond, T. E. 5-10-15
195. Cole, S. W. 8-10-15
208. Rogers, A. B. 8-10-15
209. Timmerman, E. 8-10-15
165. Rorke, J. H. 6-10-15
166. Wilson, W. D. S. 6-10-15
177. Ambridge, B. W. 7-10-15

SIGNAL SECTION.

Men With Training.

86. Rallock, D. 4-10-15
92. Hutchison, N. H. 4-10-15
97. Hedger, F. A. 4-10-15
99. Adie, J. 4-10-15
110. Ritson, D. D. 4-10-15

MUSKETRY INSTRUCTORS.

Men With Training.

87. Trask, N. K. 4-10-15

By order,
J. C. SIMPSON,
Lieutenant,
Act. Adj. McGill Cont. C.O.T.C.

BATTALION ORDERS, No. 8,

by
LIEUT.-COLONEL ROBERT STARKE,
O.C. McGill Cont. C.O.T.C.

Montreal, Oct. 11, 1915.

1. Parades.

The Battalion will parade on the McGill Campus on Thursday, Oct. 14th, 1915, at 7.45 p.m.

Recruits will parade as follows:

Students.

Tuesday, Oct. 12, at 5.15 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 14, at 5.15 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 15, at 5.15 p.m.

Non-Students.

Tuesday, Oct. 12, at 7.45 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 14, at 7.45 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 15, at 7.45 p.m.

Company Commanders must make provision for the instruction of recruits at these parades.

By order,
J. C. SIMPSON,
Lieutenant,
Act. Adj. McGill Cont. C.O.T.C.

BATTALION ORDERS, No. 8,

McGILL CONTINGENT, C. O. T. C.

PART II.

Station, Montreal.

Date, Oct. 11, 1915.

2. Taken on Strength.

The following men are taken on the strength of the Battalion from the dates opposite their respective names, and assigned to companies as shown:

"A" COMPANY.

9. Hyland, J. J. 27-9-15
65. Woolley, W. I. 29-9-15
80. Clayton, W. H. 29-9-15
120. McCarthy, L. C. 5-10-15
122. Bottingham, M. H. P. 5-10-15
124. Miller, G. 5-10-15
125. Thackeray, W. 5-10-15
132. Cameron, J. S. 5-10-15
135. McCabe, G. W. 5-10-15
144. Waters, A. F. 29-9-15
146. Benson, J. W. 6-10-15
148. Frothingham, J. B. 6-10-15
153. Claxton, B. B. 6-10-15
158. Beattie, W. E. 6-10-15
159. Terroux, A. M. 6-10-15
163. Hawker, G. A. 6-10-15
168. Watt, J. B. 6-10-15
181. Mitchell, E. W. L. 7-10-15
200. Wynde, S. C. 8-10-15
206. Farstein, S. B. 8-10-15
207. Woolley, E. S. 8-10-15
203. Vas, F. V. 8-10-15

"B" COMPANY.

7. Bourke, G. W. 4-10-15
131. Miller, A. H. 4-10-15
147. Booker, H. K. 5-10-15
151. MacDermot, T. W. L. 5-10-15
161. Pitt, E. 5-10-15
204. Hughes, E. L. V. 8-10-15

"C" COMPANY.

Recruits.

109. Anjo, H. R. 4-10-15
137. Stewart, E. A. 4-10-15
141. Biggar, L. H. 4-10-15
180. Brady, W. H. 7-10-15
185. Kennedy, R. A. 7-10-15
197. French, C. E. 8-10-15

Men With Training.

"D" COMPANY.

Men With Training.

2. Smith, R. P. M. 27-9-15
4. Rowland, A. H. 27-9-15
5. Peterson, C. L. M. 27-9-15
14. Roberts, P. L. 27-9-15
21. Bonnar, W. 28-9-15
22. Brydon, R. M. 28-9-15
77. Clarke, C. P. N. 29-9-15
129. Stewart, R. E. 5-10-15
140. Smith, W. Henderson. 7-10-15
156. Desbarats, E. 5-10-15
178. Howard, A. J. 5-10-15

Recruits.

187. Wilson, J. A. 7-10-15
119. Saye, C. R. 5-10-15

By order,
J. C. SIMPSON,
Lieutenant,
Act. Adj. McGill Cont. C.O.T.C.

SERVING WITH THE ENGINEERS AT THE FRONT

Sapper A. B. Rutherford Writes of Life With the 2nd Signal Company.

"Goldie" Anderson Writes

Wounded McGill Man Returns From France—Others Enlist For Overseas Service.

A letter has just been received from Sapper A. B. Rutherford, who left here last spring, together with about twenty other McGill students, in the 2nd Signalling Company. The censor has cut out two holes in the paper where reference was evidently made to the names of places he was at. The original party has been quite split up, some of the number having received commissions, while others are in France attached to various units and at headquarters. The letter is given below:

France, Sept. 19, 1915.

Dear —:

If I remember rightly, when I enlisted I promised to write you occasionally. Up to date I have not done so, but I have been able to keep tab on your doings from your letters to Dave Smith (Science '17) and Dud Shrimpton (Mechanical '16). However, now that we are separated, I guess I will drop you a line. As I suppose you know by now, Dud Shrimpton is getting a commission in the London Post Office Rifles, and so did not come over to France with us. Also Dave Smith is with the divisional headquarters, and so I don't see much of him. Dave Davidson, Even MacEwen and I are the only Westmont fellows in our section.

We left camp last Sunday night, September 12, and marched to Shorncliffe station. There we took the train for — (censored), and got there about 9.30 a.m. Tuesday. We stayed around all day, and in the evening got on the boat and steamed across the Channel. We landed about 10 a.m. Wednesday and put in time around the harbor all day. Then we had a 20-mile train ride, and after that a 20-mile walk, with a break for the night after the first ten miles. As perhaps you know, all troops here travel in freight cars. The cars have benches in them, and are not at all bad when they are not crowded. The limit per car is forty, and as we only had twelve in our car, we are O.K. We are now billeted in a large hall in a village about 12 miles behind the firing line.

Tuesday, 21st.
Since I started this letter, we have moved forward, and our brigade is now in action. Our division is taking over the position of the division to the left of the — (censored) division. Well, I guess this is all the news for the present.

Your sincere friend,
ARCHIE B. RUTHERFORD.

Address:
Spr. A. B. Rutherford, No. 257,
Brigade Signalling Office,
Headquarters 4th Inf. Brigade,
2nd Canadian Division,
Army Post Office,
LONDON, England.

"Goldie" Anderson, Sc. '11, who is in France with the 9th Field Company, Engineers, 9th Division, has written as follows to Mrs. F. D. Adams:

"The country around here is very peaceful-looking till one begins to examine the houses, which are mostly sad-looking wrecks. It is a mining district, and the mines are still working, keeping at it to supply the Government, I suppose. Our work lately has been clearing up trenches, fixing up shelters, etc.; keeps one busy moving around from one thing to another. I had a note from G. G. Gibbins. He is still in England.

"I now have, as you see, the rather vague address which is given by so many these days, and got it on rather short notice. One fine morning at ten o'clock I was ordered to proceed with a draft to England early the following morning. They had asked the day before if I was ready to go, and where I wished to go finally. I told them I would like another fortnight or so and then go to the Dardanelles. However, it makes no difference, and we are quite comfortably settled here now. We stayed at the base for a time and then moved up country to our companies."

C. N. Shanly, who was two years with Sc. '11, is serving as lieutenant with the Royal Engineers in France. He was formerly a lieutenant in the Corps of Guides, and was practising his profession as a civil engineer in Toronto when war broke out.

John Roberts Allan, Jr., Sc. '17, who went overseas with the First Canadian Division as gunner in the 2nd Battery of Field Artillery, has been promoted to a commission in the Royal Flying Corps.

John C. Reiffenstein, Sc. '18, 21s serving with the 7th Brigade, C.E.F.

Henry N. Date, Sc. '17, crossed to England with a reinforcements draft of the 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles, and is now at Shorncliffe.

The latest undergraduate to join